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WIRELESS TELECOMMUNICATIONS BUREAU GRANTS CONSENT FOR THE FULL AND PARTIAL ASSIGNMENT AND TRANSFER OF CONTROL OF LICENSES TO IMPLEMENT GSM CORRIDOR, LLC JOINT VENTURE

WT Dkt. No. 02-354

Pursuant to sections 4(i) and 310(d) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, and section 0.331 of the Commission's rules,' the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau ("Bureau") approves the applications filed by AT&T Wireless Services, Inc. ("AWS") and Cingular Wireless LLC ("Cingular") listed below requesting Commission consent to the full and partial assignment and transfer of control of broadband Personal Communications Service ("PCS") licenses. This consent is necessary to implement a joint venture - GSM Corridor, LLC ("GSM Corridor") - to build infrastructure using GSM technology that will enable the joint venture partners to provide service to subscribers along approximately 4,000 miles of select highways in rural parts of the country. No comments or petitions to deny were received in response to the Public Notice announcing that the applications had been accepted for filing.' The Bureau finds, upon consideration of the record, that the proposed full and partial assignments and transfers of control will serve the public interest, convenience, and necessity.'

ASSIGNMENT APPLICATIONS FROM THIRD PARTIES TO AWP T.

| File Number | Licensee | Lead Call Sign |
|-------------|-------------------------------------|----------------|
| 0001053809 | Lewis and Clark Communications, LLC | KNLF929 |
| 0001053817 | Royal Wireless, L.L.C. | KNLG715 |
| 0001053811 | Southwesr Wireless, L.L.C. | KNLF766 |

Consent to the above-referenced epplications is conditioned upon full payment of the required unjust enrichment payments on or before the consummation date.'

³ See AT&T Wireless Services, Inc. and Cingular Wireless LLC Seek FCC Consent to Assign and Transfer Control of PCS Licenses. Public Notice, DA 02-3081 (rel. Nov. 8, 2002).

¹ **47** U.S.C.§§ 15**4**(i), 310(d)

² 47 C.F.R. § 0.331.

⁴ See 47 U.S.C.§ 310(d).

⁵ See 47 C.F.R.§ 1.2 I11(c), (d)

II. PRO FORMA ASSIGNMENT APPLICATIONS TO PARTITION OR PARTITION AND DISAGGREGATE THE HIGHWAY AREAS

| File Number | Assignee | Lead Call Sign |
|----------------|---|----------------|
| 0001056342 | AT&T Wireless Roadrunner License Sub, LLC | KNLG464 |
| 50000-CW-AA-03 | AT&T Wireless Roadrunner License Sub, LLC | KNLG207 |
| 0001056322 | Roadrunner Cingular License Sub, LLC | KNLF291 |
| 50001-CW-AA-03 | Roadrunner Cingular License Sub, LLC | KNLF766 |
| 0001056309 | Cingular New England License Sub LLC | WPSL626 |

III. TRANSFER OF CONTROL APPLICATIONS TO GSM CORRIDOR

| File Number | <u>Licensee</u> | Lead Call Sign |
|----------------|---|----------------|
| 50002-CW-TC-03 | AT&T Wireless Roadrunner License Sub, LLC | KNLG534 |
| 50003-CW-TC-03 | Roadrunner Cingular License Sub, LLC | KNLF29I |
| 50004-CW-TC-03 | Cingular New England License Sub LLC | WPSL626 |

IV. APPLICATIONS TO ASSIGN CERTAIN NON-HIGHWAY AREAS TO SOUTHWESTERN BELL WIRELESS, LLC

| File Number | <u>Assignee</u> | Lead Call Sign |
|----------------|---------------------------------|----------------|
| 50005-CW-AA-03 | Southwestern Bell Wireless, LLC | KNLF291 |
| 50006-CW-AA-03 | Southwestern Bell Wireless, LLC | KNLG715 |

Pursuant to section 1.103 of the Commission's rules: the consent granted herein is effective upon release of this Public Notice. By this approval, the parties are authorized to consummate the transaction described in their applications.' Pursuant to sections 1.106(f) and 1.115(a) of the Commission's rules: petitions for reconsideration and applications for review may be filed within thirty days of the release of this Public Notice.

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Section 1.948(d) of the Commission's rules provides that "the transaction must be consummated and notification provided to the Commission within 180 days of public notice of approval, and notification of consummation must occur no later than 30 days after actual consummation." *Id.* § 1.948(d).

⁶ 47 C.F.R. § 1.103

⁸ Id. §§ 1.106(f), 1.115(a).